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Just received, new invoice of above stylish head-gear for ladies and children, all the latest designs, ranging in price from 19c. to \$1.

New Plaid Ribbons.

New Roman Stripe Ribbons, the fad for neck and sashes.

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We have marked all Remnants in every department at one-half to one-fourth regular prices. See them before the best is picked over.

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Fifty dozen Stamped Linen Dollies, from six inches to twenty-four inches, at 1c., 2c., 5c., 10c., 12c., 15c. and 20c. each. Actual value, 5c. to 35c.

Rosenau Bros. KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEADER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.
White—Breeze—Fair;
Blue—Rain or Snow;
With Black—Rain—TWO WARMER
STORM.
If Black—Rain—TWO WARMER
STORM.
Unless Black—Rain—TWO WARMER
STORM.

Mr. James Burns of Covington is visiting Miss Hannah O'Hare.

Mr. James Ellis of Winchester is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. Kohlsaat.

Miss Hilda Ewing Shepard has returned from a two weeks visit to Cincinnati.

Miss Lida Ewing returned home yesterday after a visit to friends at Bowling.

Miss Mary Deibel, after several days visit to friends at Bowling, has returned home.

Mrs. T. Gilmore and Miss May Collier of Covington are visiting Mrs. Mary Gilmore.

Mrs. F. M. Tindler and children have returned to Maysville after a visit to relatives at Paris.

Ripley Bee—Miss Helen Hanstett has returned to her duties at Haywood Seminary, Maysville.

Miss Nora Jones of Brownsville, Tenn., is visiting her, and Mrs. L. P. Trotter on West Fourth street.

After spending a week at Mrs. James Breeze on East Fourth street, Mrs. Will Johnson returned home at Paris to-day.

Mayor and Mrs. William H. Cox will leave Saturday for Springfield, Ill., where Mr. Cox goes to represent Kentucky in the Sovereign Grand Lodge, L. O. O. F.

The Grand Jury at Vanceburg returned twelve indictments.

The Joseph W. Shelton land in Huntington township, O., was sold at auction last week for \$5,800 to L. M. George W. and Daniel Shafer of this city.

Regular meeting of Wyandotte Tribe No. 3 at their Wigwam this evening at 7:30; business of importance.

H. W. Ray, Sachem.

W. C. Pelham, C. of R.

The Portsmouth Tribune says: Charles F. Fiat of Maysville is here to secure classes in painting. His Japanese work on glass is that of a true artist and his ability as a teacher said to be of a high order. He expects to locate in the city permanently.

Call and let P. J. Murphy the Jeweler show you the most perfect cuttings on Diamonds. Prices that have never been equaled. Mountings that are works of art. Diamonds in every style of mounting. The prices will be an inducement even if you have not thought of purchasing.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak nervous, strong blood pure. See, B. H. Druggists.

Educate Your House With Cascares.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. See ad. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money. Good seed wheat at Old Gold Mills.

M. C. Russell & Son sell Daisy Patent Flour.

The first Oysters of the season at Roper's New Era.

All popular brands of Flour for sale by M. C. Russell & Son.

Omar Hammond and Miss Calla Dodge married last week in Fleming.

We make a specialty of exchanging Flour for Wheat at the Old Gold Mills.

Mr. Onnie Rieg and Miss Elsie Mullen married at Brookville a few days since.

Rev. W. E. Mitchell of Carlisle is assisting in a meeting at Stonelick Church, this county.

Rev. Robert Toile will preach at the Baptist Church at Carlisle next Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. Penelope Hawk, one of the old and respected residents of Huntington township, died Sunday last.

Rev. F. S. Pullet of Covington was elected Secretary of the Kentucky M. E. Conference, South, at Mt. Sterling.

J. H. Rains & Co. pay the highest market price for wheat and rye, and have for sale the best brands of flour and salt.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Davidson will order another examination of candidates for County Superintendent.

El Kindig of the firm of Kindig Bros., York, Pa., on Friday shipped a carload each of horses and mules from Lexington.

Workmen are engaged in cleaning out the front basin of the reservoir. About 25 pounds of fish were taken out yesterday.

Walter Jenkins and Harry Heck of Lewis county were taken to the Frankfort Penitentiary this week to serve two years each.

Mrs. James Woolam, sister of Mrs. James Cummings of this city, continues quite ill with heart trouble at her home at Millersburg.

C. W. Darnall, R. P. Jenkins and A. H. Thompson have been appointed to appraise the personality of the late James J. Shackelford.

Miss Kate Stewart, daughter of the late James O. Stewart, died last week at her home near Hardis of consumption, aged about 21 years.

C. L. Sallee has been appointed Administrator of the late James J. Shackelford, with John Duley, Charles B. Pearce, Jr., and James H. Sallee as sureties.

There was a slight sprinkle in that part of the city West of Wall street about 12:30 yesterday. This shows that it rains on the just—as well as the unjust.

Mrs. L. V. Davis will in a few days be located in her new store, Kackley Building next door to George Cox & Son, with the most superb stock of Millinery ever shown in Maysville.

'Squire William H. Hook is a candidate for re-election as Magistrate in the Eighth Magisterial District. Heretofore, 'Squire Hook has given the best attention to his duties and has always been found at his post when needed.

The Lexington today presents the name of Mr. James Stewart as a candidate for City Auditor at the ensuing November election. Mr. Stewart was a life-long citizen, an industrious man and if elected will make a good officer.

Among the many who attended the funeral of Mr. H. H. Collins yesterday afternoon was the venerable W. W. Lamar of Aurora, Ind., now in his 87th year, and for whom Mr. Collins clerked in the drygoods business soon after coming to Maysville, more than forty years ago.

The funeral of the late H. H. Collins was largely attended yesterday afternoon, the religious services consisting of a brief but eloquent tribute from the Rev. Dr. John S. Hays. At the grave the impressive Masonic rites were conducted by the venerable William H. Howe.

The Darby Burner is now placed in a store at No. 17 Second street. It is the most wonderful invention of the age. Come tomorrow and eat some of the bread cooked by the heat from this burner. No dirt but all the heat you want at less expense than any other fuel.

I. M. Lane & Co.

A hot show as applied to Colonel Fremont's aggregation of talent now about ready to open the season of 97-98 does not mean that they will fare at its hands as by the weather, but it means so much fun, wit, singing, charm and delight bound together so that you will laugh until the sweat pours off of you. That's why it's called a hot show. Go Monday night to Opera house and see them in the "Old Soldier." New songs, new jokes, a continuous performance from start to finish. 10, 50 and 90 cents.

GETS A BLACK EYE!

Judge Cox Deals the Civil Service Law a Body-Blow!

WILL HAVE TO BE A NEW DEAL.

Judge Cox of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia dismissed the bill of complaint of John G. Wood, Superintendent of Mails at Louisville, praying that Postmaster General Heath be enjoined from removing him from office.

The case has been considered in the nature of a test of the power of removal, and the delivery of the opinion drew to the Courtroom many public officials, including members of the Civil Service Commission.

Judge Cox's decision was an elaborate review of the law bearing on removals of Federal employees. He held at the outset that it was not within the power of a Court of equity to grant relief in matters of appointment and removal from office.

Then, taking up the merits of the case, he stated that it was settled law that the power of removal was an incident to the power of appointment, and that both could be exercised by the head of a Department in reference to subordinate officials. Concerning the Civil Service Law, Judge Cox held that it must not be construed to grant authority, either to the Civil Service Commission or to the President, to make rules contrary to the law itself, or of a legislative character. He quoted with approval the decision of Justice Brewer that Congress could not delegate its power to legislate to any administrative body. The decision sums up as follows:

"The simple inquiry is whether the rules invoked by the complainant, whether the President or the Commission or both the authors of them, are such as the Civil Service Act authorized to be established. In my judgment they are ultra vires and void. I have no doubt that the President may lay down rules for the internal policy of his Administration, and may require his chief executive officers, dependent upon his pleasure for their terms of office, to conform to them or else to sever their official relations with him, and in that sense the rules relied on by the complainant were within his political and executive authority. But the enforcement of such rules is a matter between the President and the Cabinet, and not a matter for the Courts or one in which the complainant has any legal interest. All that I mean to state in this opinion is that the rules in question were not such as the Civil Service Act authorized and do not derive efficacy from that act."

"I know of nothing more important to the interests of the country than the policy which the Civil Service legislation was intended to initiate and promote, and it is perhaps a matter of great regret that the act of January 16th, 1883—the Civil Service Act—has not gone further than it does. But it is my duty to construe it as it is."

"To sum up, I conclude that apart from the Civil Service Act the Postmaster General had the authority to remove the complainant from office at his pleasure; that this act makes no change in this respect, except to forbid removals for refusal to contribute to partisan objects; that the power given to the Commission and the President to establish rules to authorize any rule which shall make a change in the law in this respect, and consequently that, even if this Court had jurisdiction in a case like the present one, the complainant is not entitled to the relief prayed."

It is probable that an appeal will be taken from the decision and it is said that ultimately the United States Supreme Court will be asked to pass on the question involved.

A FAR-REACHING EFFECT.

The decision rendered by Judge Cox will have a most far-reaching effect, and it was one of the matters discussed at the Cabinet meeting.

Beyond doubt, it will require the promulgation of new rules and the opinion of lawyers and prominent officials and that

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Is of such great value that one ought to take more than ordinary precautions to guard against every possible trouble.

If you have even a remote suspicion that there is any trouble with your eyes it will be for your own best interests to have your vision tested and trouble, if any, removed.

Very simple troubles may develop serious results if not properly treated.

Ordinary failing eyesight receives our most careful attention, both as to glasses and frames.

It's just as important to have the right frame as the right glass, and from our large stock we can give you the correct thing in either Gold, Silver or Steel.

We make no charge for examinations, and if yours is a case requiring the services of an oculist we will frankly tell you so.

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

South Side Second Street.

It will necessitate a statement from the Attorney General in regard to the prerogatives of Cabinet officers as to the removals and transfers. It was stated after the Cabinet meeting that Attorney General McKenna was instructed to prepare such a statement, and that before the President leaves town again there will be an important document issued in regard to the Civil Service.

For Sale.
Home-made cream cheese. Apply to Mrs. C. C. Dezman, Springdale, Ky.

Dollar Wheat.
Always—if treated with pure Blue Stone. Cheweneth, the Druggist, sells it.

OPEN LETTER TO S. D. DUTCHER.

In the LEADER of September 14th a well-meant article has made some statements that if permitted to pass unchallenged will do not only you but the cause you represent an injury.

Being concerned about the cause, and not indifferent to your good as a Minister of the Gospel, though a stranger to you, I say only and all-sufficient apology for thus giving you an opportunity that you perhaps seek and otherwise would find it difficult to make to correct the over-zeal and under-reading of a friend.

First—Do you claim to be the "head" of the Church there?

Second—Can you claim or permit in any sense the word "seer" to be applied to you as a Bishop or Evangelist of that Church?

Third—Is it the "Church of the Disciples" or the "Church of Christ" worshipping at Maysville that you serve?

Fourth—The "combined powers of the old prophets" is a powerful combination for any one man to have. This is, of course, a human estimate of a warm friend who does not utter a very close acquaintance with their "powers" by spelling Naaman "Naham."

Believing that you would not more claim the first than you would indorse the last as a good friend of the leper General's name, I am your friend and the friend of the cause of Christ, THOMAS.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

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J. HENRY PECOR.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be happy, healthy, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c. or B. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

FRIDAY'S CASH SALE.

Huck Towels.

Twelve miles from Belfast is the castle of the Marquis of Downshire Hill, which gives the town the name of Hillsborough. The town is a hive of thrift, its linen industry turning largely to Towels. The Hillsborough Company is famous for its Huckaback and Twilled Linen Towels. They are the same kind of intrinsic good values one gets under the "Old Bleach" label, that factory a dozen miles from Belfast in another direction. The Hillsborough Company's goods are made on bleached, no chemical rot has ever tainted their product. We made a cash deal on 300 Hillsborough Huck Towels, and the shipment will make Friday's Towel show and give Maysville the greatest Towel value we have offered in years. The Towels are all hemmed and some neat red borders. They are thirty water soakers, 40 inches long, 21 inches wide. Careful housewives and hotel men who use liberal size Towels will make the most of this occasion. Price 10c.

Women's Hosiery

LOT No. 1—Loose Gauge Black Hose, improved toe, Heumstorf dye. The hold till the stocking wears out. Price regularly 35c.; Price Friday 25c. Want to introduce them to the trade.

LOT No. 2—Women's Stainless Black Hose, round heel and toe, Crown make, good for walkers and kickers. Price was 25c.; price now 18c.

LOT No. 3—Women's High Class Fancy Hose, say two dozen styles at least. Drop stitch, boot ankles, colored toes in solids and stripes, shaped as correctly as the skin of the foot. Every day price 35c.; Friday 18c. each, or two pairs for 35c.

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Republican Ticket.

Election Tuesday, November 5th.

Clark Court of Appeals.

Hon. JAMES G. BAILEY
of Macon.

Circuit Clerk.

WILLIAM G. DEARING
of Fleming.

Commonwealth's Attorney.

EDWARD DAUM
of Graham.

Representative.

JOHN Y. RICE.

Circuit Clerk.

HAMLET C. SHARP.

County Judge.

MORRIS G. HUTCHINS.

County Clerk.

WILLIAM D. COCHRAN.

County Attorney.

GEORGE W. ADAMS.

Sherriff.

GEORGE H. OWENS.

Assessor.

R. G. BULLOCK.

Superintendent of Schools.

Miss MARY T. CHAMBERS.

Judge.

JOHN JOHNSON.

Clerk.

O. E. COLLINS.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

First District—William H. Howe.

Second District—James H. Miller.

Third District—W. H. Hoek.

KENTUCKY REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

Adopted at Louisville, Aug. 10th, 1897.

Resolved, by the Republican party in Convention assembled—

First—That we reaffirm the principles of the Republican party as set forth in the platform adopted by it at St. Louis in 1860.

Second—That we support the National and State Administrations, and especially commend the action of our present state officials in their efforts to suppress mob violence and to preserve the financial credit of the state.

Third—We commend the action of the representatives of the Republican party in the passage of a tariff bill which will raise the rate of duty on sugar to 10 cents per pound, and we deem it our duty to support the Government, prevent the issue of interest-bearing bonds, protect American labor and maintain the National credit.

Fourth—We are opposed to a system of Civil Service that builds up an official class, practically a life tenure in almost all branches of the public service, and we demand that the Civil Service Law be modified so as to limit the term of service to four years, with the privilege of reappointment or promotion, subject to such restrictions as will secure competent officials and give to every section of the country its proper proportion of them.

Fifth—We heartily sympathize with the struggling people of Cuba in their efforts to secure liberty and independence.

Sixth—That we recommend to the people the adoption of the Constitutional amendment submitted by the last Legislature, allowing all cities and towns the privilege of electing their own officials in their efforts to suppress mob violence and to preserve the financial credit of the state.

Seventh—We favor the passage of a law that will protect the laborers of Kentucky from the competition of foreign labor, and we deem it our duty to accomplish said result, an amendment to the Constitution permitting such legislation.

"The best way to get rid of a bad law is to enforce it."—General Grant.

Therefore THE LEDGER favors the right enforcement of the Civil Service Law.

SENATOR JONES of Nevada has invented a new rallying cry for the silver orators who are to work among the farmers this fall. He says that if we had the free coinage of silver wheat would be worth twice as much as it is now. Yet it is conceded that the silver dollar would be only worth its bullion value under free coinage, as it is in Mexico today, and the farmers would thus be worse off if they got twice the present price of their wheat and got it in dollars worth only 40 cents. Senator Jones has no means of

substantiating his assertion that the price of wheat would double under free coinage except by admitting that the dollar which would be paid would be worth only half that which is now being paid. In point of fact, it would be less than half, as is seen by the dollars of Mexico, where a dollar containing more silver than that in our dollar is worth but 43 cents. Senator Jones may be a great financier, but the average farmer is sufficiently well posted in matters of that sort to know that two 43-cent dollars are worth less than one 100-cent dollar.

The Attorney General has been directed by the Kentucky Railroad Commissioners to bring suit against the C. and O. for a \$2,000 penalty for an alleged discrimination in freight rates.

Everybody Says So.
Cascareta Quil Catharine, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, is said to be a cure for all diseases, and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, curing heart disease, fever, indigestion and biliousness. For sale by all druggists and C. C. C. today, 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

FLATSAM—JETSAM—LIGAN!

NEWS NOTES FROM SAUREN'S GREAT HIGHWAY.

The river is lower now than it has been for years. It cannot fall much more, however.

The Sandy Valley is now making regular trips daily between Portsmouth and Huntington. The day of the little boats is at hand.

The Lizzie Bay stuck on Bonanza Bar Tuesday morning. She got off in the afternoon after several hours hard work. She had a well loaded light in tow.

The Government dredging plant, which has been working at Golconda, has finished making a 4-foot channel there and has been ordered by Major Heuer to Brooklyn, Ill., where there is considerable work to do.

All the material for the additions to the boilers of the steamer Island Queen has been inspected by the Coast Survey authorities, and was found to be of good quality. The Queen's six boilers are being lengthened six feet.

The Cummins has pulled out of the Portsmouth track the time being, and is now running to Chillicothe. The water here, officers state, got too low for the safe navigation of the boat in this trade. It is probable the Lizzie Bay will be withdrawn before the close of the week.

The steamer Sunshine, with lighter loaded to her undertow took the ripple of Bonanza Bar above Portsmouth Tuesday night but ran her nose into the sand, and after wriggling around for an hour or so, returned to Portsmouth and lay at the wharf till morning. She will not attempt to ascend ladder river till there's more moisture in sight.

Portsmouth Tribune.—The steamer Shirley, with Mayor and Mrs. Glidden on board, is badly grounded on Brooks's Bar, just above Mayfield, and just where she will be about as a problem not easily solved. In the neighborhood of Mayville people are not in the habit of calling for water, but a few barrels would doubtless be very acceptable to Hiram and his good lady.

ONE OF TWO WAYS.

The bladder was created for one purpose, namely, a receptacle for the urine, and as such it is not liable to any form of disease except by one of two ways.

First—It is liable to become inflamed, and the second way is from carelessness local treatment of other diseases.

CHIEF CAUSE.

Unhealthy urine from unhealthy kidneys is the chief cause of bladder troubles. So the womb, like the bladder, was created for one purpose, and if not doctored too much is not liable to weakness or disease, except in rare cases. It is a sturdy back of and very hard on the bladder, therefore any pain, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or some other cause. The error is easily made, for the urine is not voided to find out correctly, set your urine aside for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates kidney or bladder trouble. The mild and the extraordinary effects of Dr. Kline's Swamp Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy, is soon realized. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. Mention THE PUBLIC LEADER and send your address to Dr. Kline & Co., Philadelphia, N. Y.

The Proprietor of this paper guarantees the genuineness of this offer.

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KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the Commonwealth.

REV. J. S. POLLITT

Elected Secretary by the Kentucky M. E. Conference, South-Western District, at the Annual Meeting at Louisville, Ky., Sept. 15.

Against Elder Reeves.

Mr. STEPHEN, Ky., Sept. 15.—Wednesday morning the delegates and visitors to the Kentucky conference of the M. E. Church, South, met and engaged in prayer meeting at the residence of Bishop A. W. Wilson, of Baltimore, conducted Scripture reading, after which the seventy-seventh annual conference was ready for business. Few absentees were noted.

It had been expected at this point, the election of a secretary, would be a stormy period, but the prayer service had so quieted the excited ministers that the vote was taken between Rev. John Reeves, of Winchester, former secretary, and Rev. F. S. Pollitt, of Covington, free from friction.

Pollitt was elected by a majority of 12 votes.

After the completion of the organization, charges were preferred against Elder John Reeves under the law of pro-tem, to which Reeves pleaded not guilty. The charge of malconduct in this case was also preferred against Reeves.

UNTIL NEXT TERM.

The Suit Against the Southern Pacific Company in the Fiscal Court Continued.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 15.—In the state fiscal court Wednesday the significant suit against the Southern Pacific Co. for failure to make reports to the franchise tax board, was continued till the next term, on motion of the commonwealth because, it was explained, that the company has recently agreed to make all the reports required. The circuit court Wednesday afternoon continued all other cases, and in the term and "cleared the decks" for the trial of the indictments against Dr. Hunter, et al. which will be called the first thing Thursday morning.

An immense crowd of spectators, lawyers and witnesses will be on hand. Attorneys for the defense have confessed that many of their prominent witnesses were summoned as prosecution and told such men as Bradley, ex-Senator Blackburn and others that they need not be on hand unless sent for. The subpoenaing of these leaders at first was construed and so intimidated by the defendants as an intention to attempt to prove that Hunter was himself the victim of a "conspiracy."

Martin Gives New Bond.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 15.—The difference between the state board of alighting fund commissioners and Dr. Martin, contractor for the output of the penitentiary chair factory, which had been magnified into a sensation by the democratic newspapers, has been settled. Mr. Martin Wednesday gave a new bond, which is signed by the American Surety Co. of New York. Herman Benton, national committee man from Connecticut; Francis H. Lenoir, ex-Senator from Maryland; and C. N. Lindley, of Cincinnati.

The Juries Were Colored.

HARRISBURG, Ky., Sept. 15.—The first trial by a colored jury that ever occurred in this state, either in civil or county judge in Mercer was held here. The defendant and witnesses were all colored, while the jury were all thoroughbred Negroes. Little Young was accused of abusive language and assault by another colored woman. The case was "not guilty" was met by loud applause from whites and blacks in the crowded courtroom.

Looking for a Location.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 15.—The commissioners appointed by Gov. Bradley to locate a reform farm have been busy considering several places around Lexington. So far they have been unable to reach a definite conclusion and will continue their work Thursday. They hope, however, to locate a suitable place before the end of the week.

Bethany Defended in a Fight.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 15.—Thos. Tanner, one of the defendants in the bribery case and J. L. Langan, a local detective, had a street fight Wednesday morning, growing out of a remark by Tanner, charging that Dr. Hunter had been pursuing him with detectives. bystanders separated them before either was hurt.

Richmond Gets the Office.

RICHMOND, Ky., Sept. 15.—The question of removing the Eighth Kentucky district internal revenue office from this place to Danville has been decided in favor of Richmond, where Uncle Sam moved two months ago a \$100,000 public building. Collector Yerkes is coming into new quarters.

Young De Vere Quietly Married.

CYNTHIANA, Ky., Sept. 15.—The marriage of Lizzie Crosby, of this city, and Mr. John De Vere, of Newport, was solemnized in this city Wednesday morning. There was no reported trouble of any kind, as Mrs. De Vere was in the city on a visit to her mother. Everything went off smoothly.

Not Half a Crop of Corn.

BOONEVILLE, Ky., Sept. 15.—The drought which has prevailed in this section for several weeks has almost entirely destroyed the late corn crop. In many localities there will not be a half crop and in many sections it is totally destroyed.

Drought Killing Crops.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 15.—Corn in central Kentucky is suffering from the severe drought which has prevailed for the past ten days. The thermometer stood 100 degrees in the shade here at noon Wednesday.

One Hundred Degrees at Paducah.

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NEW MINISTER

To Spain Has Been Officially Presented to the Queen Regent.

Domestic Exports for August the Largest on Record for That Month.

Gold Imported During August \$1,274,175.

Exported \$1,083,558.—Senator Thurston Will not Oppose the Hawaiian Annexation Treaty.—Contract Laborers.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Domestic exports for August were the largest of any August which the bureau of statistics of the treasury department has a record. They were valued at \$1,079,799, as against \$60,850,991 in August 1896, an increase of \$1,018,948; for the eight months ended August 31, 1897, they amounted to \$229,434,075, an increase of \$1,017,317 over last year.

The excess of exports of merchandise over imports for August last was \$40,933,728 against an excess of \$10,130,316 in August 1896, and during the past eight months \$93,230,135 as compared with \$10,910,496 during the corresponding months of 1896.

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FIVE BURGLARS

Lynched by An Enraged Mob at Versailles, Ind.

They Were Taken From the Jail and Hanged From the Limb of a Tree.

Robberies and Burglaries Had Become Endemic. The Gang Was Detracted by One of Its Own Members Who Had Been Freed Masked Men Hid the Job.

VERSAILES, Ind., Sept. 16.—Increased by the numerous depredations and repeated burglaries and daylight robberies, the people of Ripley county, Ind., have taken their law into their own hands, and meted out to the perpetrators a punishment greater than provided by the law. Five men, who have long been a terror to the citizens of this county, met their death at the hands of an enraged populace and the citizens of this county, met their death at the hands of an enraged populace and the citizens of this county, met their death at the hands of an enraged populace.

Stout ropes, not over six feet in length, had served to send each to his martyrdom, and their feet were but a few inches from the ground, while their hands and feet had been securely pinioned with stout ropes.

Versailles is a town of some eight hundred people. It is one of the oldest in the state, and although it is five miles from a railroad station and has no telegraphic communication with the outside world, as have more pretentious towns in the county, it is still the county seat. For four or five years, and even longer, the farmers of the county have been the victims of a lawless gang who, apparently lacking in fear, have plied their vocation to the terror of the people, for they seemingly have no other means of earning a living. Farmers would come into town with a bunch of cattle or a load of farming products and next morning they would be gone, along the roadside suffering from a wound and minus the proceeds of their sale. Old farmers have been killed, and both men and women have been subjected to all the tortures that a hardened mind could stand. Aged German women have been forced to stand a red-hot stove in an effort to compel them to disclose the hiding place of the treasure. The railroad station and the store of Woolley Bros. at Corbett, Ind., ten miles from here, was to be entered. The information was given by one of the gang's confederates who had been under suspicion. Sheriff Bushing, armed with a posse of men, should accompany them, and securing five deputies they went to the place. Sheriff Bushing concealed himself in the cellar, and the gang came to a convenient distance outside.

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SEVEN CASES

Of Yellow Fever at Edwards, Miss., and Many Suspects.

The Cases Were First Reported as Malarial Then Dengue Fever.

Next They Were Pronounced Suspected, and at Last Declared Genuine Yellow Fever, as the Result of the Disease Was Spreading Rapidly There.

JACKSON, Miss., Sept. 16.—All the fears of the citizens of Jackson in regard to the sickness prevalent at Edwards have been realized. Dr. Gutierrez, the government expert, has confirmed seven cases of yellow fever and says there are many suspects.

First, the cases were reported as malarial fever, then after a time they became dengue fever. Another wait and they were pronounced suspected and finally declared to be genuine yellow fever. During all this time the disease has been spreading rapidly at the rate of five or six new cases daily until there are now at least four cases in existence at Edwards.

The evolution of the disease from malarial to yellow fever was such that the people now regard dengue as simply a more convenient term than yellow fever. Dr. Gutierrez arrived at Edwards on a special train at 4 o'clock Wednesday morning and proceeded at once to work. A telegram addressed to Dr. Gutierrez asking for information on the situation at Edwards elicited the reply that he had good reason to believe that the disease was spreading rapidly.

Dr. Gutierrez arrived Wednesday morning. We have visited a number of cases, and the following are pronounced yellow fever: W. A. Johnson, a colored man, 40 years old; Henry T. H. W. Barrett, E. F. Nuttle, Miss. Austin (three miles out in the country); Mrs. Chapman (at Champion Hill).

At 10 a. m. the following report was made by Dr. Gutierrez: EDWARDS, Miss., Sept. 15, 1917. To Wynant, Washington.—The diagnosis of yellow fever made in six cases by Dr. Purnell confirmed. He has two cases that I have not yet seen. There are many children sick with what is probably a malarial fever. The disease. The cases are not confined to one locality but are all traceable to the Anderson camp which came from Ocean Springs. The medium of infection appears to have been the Champion case. Mr. Champion, who died, was a prominent man and many people congregated in the house during the illness. Dr. Purnell is immune and I recommend him as competent to take charge of the situation if necessary. I shall leave this afternoon for Mobile unless otherwise directed.

BOATS COLLIDE. Due to a misunderstanding of signals—Several Persons Thought to Have Been Drowned. New York, Sept. 16.—The big Hudson river steamer Cadillac and the larger excursion boat St. Johns, collided Wednesday evening on the North river off this city. The St. Johns had 4,000 excursionists and the Cadillac boat had started on its regular night trip with 30 passengers.

The collision was due to a misunderstanding of the signals which passed between the two vessels. The St. Johns struck the Cadillac, which was loaded with freight, on the starboard side, 35 feet from the bow of the boat, cutting a hole in the hull below the water line. The crash extinguished the lights on the Cadillac and caused a panic among the passengers, some of whom dropped overboard. Great excitement also prevailed among the excursionists on the St. Johns. When the steamboat parted, the Cadillac was turned toward the Jersey shore while the crew of the St. Johns lowered small boats and rescued the people struggling in the water. Just as the Cadillac neared the shore, she filled and went down on a mud bank. Several tug boats responded to the calls for help and aided in the rescue.

Leonard P. Miller, of Hoboken, who was taken from the water, had his right leg fractured. He said that he was being rescued a small boy who was in the water near him had been drowned. The latter is supposed to be Bert Timmerman, five years old, of Leeds, N. Y. Mrs. Maria McDonald, residence unknown, and Susan Morris, of Gateshead, N. J., are missing and are thought to have been drowned.

No Fear at Ocean Springs. OCEAN SPRINGS, Miss., Sept. 16.—Our greatest hardship here now is being deprived of mail communications with newspapers. It is quite amazing to see passengers on board passing trains loaded with mail and mail bags, and when they told they were passing through Ocean Springs. The only case of yellow fever here is fully a mile from the railroad.

Gen. Andrade Elected President. NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—A dispatch to the World from Caracas, Venezuela, says: Returns from the presidential election in the various states of the republic show overwhelming majorities for Gen. Andrade, the former Venezuelan minister to the United States.

Grateful Shoppers Expected. CHICAGO, Sept. 16.—Illinois, Indiana and Iowa are parched. Until Tuesday morning the rain was the same country, but rain came. Weather men say grateful shoppers are due in the other states in a few days.

CONDENSED NEWS

Sathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegram.

Appleton, Wis., paper mills within the past two weeks have received orders from Japan for 3,000 tons of print paper. This opens up a market new to American paper manufacturers.

The resignation of John C. Williams, as collector of customs at New Orleans, to take effect upon the appointment and qualification of his successor, has been received by the secretary of the treasury.

The treasury department already has experienced some difficulty in making shipment of gold to the United States sub-treasury and the mint at New Orleans in consequence of yellow fever quarantines against that city.

Probably the largest and finest turquoise ever taken from American soil has been received at Santa Fe, N. M., from southern New Mexico. It weighs about 176 carats and it is estimated by competent experts that it will weigh fully 85 carats when cut and polished. It has the best color known, being a delicate sky-blue.

An additional quarantine order was issued by the Tennessee state board of health Wednesday applying to Mobile, New Orleans and all inland seaboard points and quarantining the entire state against them. Nashville citizens are not alarmed in the slightest because past experience has shown the city is outside of the yellow fever district.

Seymour Bros. stock and grain brokers, New York, Wednesday. The firm had offices in various parts of the country. The firm's standing was good and it is said to have done a large business. It is reported that the firm's liabilities may reach nearly \$1,000,000. It is said that the firm's failure was caused by heavy debts to wheat.

The coal miners' strike, so far as the Pittsburgh district is concerned, is off, and the 32,000 miners resumed work. The decision to ignore the ten-day clause, which was a condition of the Columbus peace pact, arrived at last Saturday afternoon by a delegate convention of miners representing the entire district.

London Truth says that since the return of Emperor William of Germany from Russia he has expected to visit the United States in the autumn, and will probably cross from Kiel to Aberdeen in the imperial yacht Hohenzollern for the purpose of making a strictly private visit to her majesty at Balmoral castle.

There were five new cases of yellow fever and one death in Scranton, Miss., Wednesday. The Mobile board of health received reports Wednesday showing that there were no new cases of yellow fever and no suspicious cases. This report has in a measure quieted the alarm which Thursday's report and Dr. Gutierrez' prediction of the disease has created.

John E. Lancaster, representative of the United States government, is in Seattle, Wash., making preparations for a winter overland trip to Dawson City, Alaska. Mr. Lancaster will leave Seattle October 10 with a party of ten men and 30,000 pounds of provisions. He will have a train of 20 dogs, and says he expects to cross the mountains and the coast of the Yazo and Mississippi valley road.

The schooner Volante, Capt. H. J. Hanson, arrived at Port Townsend, Wash., Wednesday, from Seattle, in eight days and left for the Sound August 23. They brought with them an average of 10 ounces of gold each, mostly fair and better Thursday night in the Sound. They were brought by J. S. Wall, of Milwaukee.

As a result of the Turkish occupation of Thessaly, sending of a dispatch to the state department from United States Consul Horton, at Athens, there are now over 100,000 Thessalian refugees in the hands of Greek military in a condition of destitution. Even should peace be declared Thursday and these refugees returned to their abandoned homes, several years would be required to repair the damage done to and to re-establish life and industry in their former haunts.

Forecast for Thursday. WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—Tennessee and Kentucky—showers; cold in western portion; fair in the middle; heavy rain in eastern portion; south winds, becoming southerly. West Virginia—fair; cooler Thursday night; showers; cold in western portion; fair in the middle; heavy rain in eastern portion; south winds, becoming southerly. Western Pennsylvania—fair; cooler Thursday night; showers; cold in western portion; fair in the middle; heavy rain in eastern portion; south winds, becoming southerly.

THE MARKETS. CINCINNATI, Sept. 16.—FLOUR—Spring family, \$3.00; winter, \$2.75; extra, \$2.50; low grade, \$2.25; 2-lb. bag, \$2.00; 1-lb. bag, \$1.75. WHEAT—Sample red, landing; No. 1, \$2.00; No. 2, \$1.75; No. 3, \$1.50; No. 4, \$1.25; No. 5, \$1.00; No. 6, \$0.75; No. 7, \$0.50; No. 8, \$0.25. CORN—Sample white, 2-lb. bag, \$1.00; No. 1, \$0.75; No. 2, \$0.50; No. 3, \$0.25; No. 4, \$0.00. OATS—Sample white, 2-lb. bag, \$0.75; No. 1, \$0.50; No. 2, \$0.25; No. 3, \$0.00. HOGS—Sample, 2-lb. bag, \$0.75; No. 1, \$0.50; No. 2, \$0.25; No. 3, \$0.00. CATTLE—Sample, 2-lb. bag, \$0.75; No. 1, \$0.50; No. 2, \$0.25; No. 3, \$0.00. SHEEP—Sample, 2-lb. bag, \$0.75; No. 1, \$0.50; No. 2, \$0.25; No. 3, \$0.00.

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New York	New York	New York	New York
Jersey City	Jersey City	Jersey City	Jersey City
Hoboken	Hoboken	Hoboken	Hoboken
Paterson	Paterson	Paterson	Paterson
Elizabeth	Elizabeth	Elizabeth	Elizabeth
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